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FUNERAL

Robert I. Robinson.
The funeral of Robert I. Robinson, who died in Kansas City on Sept. 6, was held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of Undertakers Cummings & Ring, and relatives from out of town were among the large attendance. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Joel B. Slocum, pastor of the Central Baptist church, and the bearers were Harry Allen, George Kirby, John Blumley and Gus Greenwood, and burial took place in Maplewood cemetery. A short service was read at the grave by Rev. Dr. Slocum.

Mr. Robinson was born in this city 22 years ago. For the past seven years he had been in Kansas City, being employed as a collector for a transit company. He is survived by his father, John B. Robinson, of this city, and his mother, Mrs. Paul A. Densar, and a stepfather of Kansas City.

SEEN IN THE "MOVIES"
Louis Trachtenberg Recognized by His Norwich Friends.

Louis Trachtenberg, formerly of this city, now of Santa Monica, Beach, California, appears in a moving picture at the Davis theatre, entitled "A Romance of Savoy." Mr. Trachtenberg is seen holding up a small child, watching a show. Mr. Trachtenberg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Trachtenberg of Summer street, and is employed as a drummer for a large moving picture house.

The Bulletin

Norwich, Saturday, Sept. 12, 1914.

VARIOUS MATTERS

Tides were low on Friday. The moon is in its last quarter tonight, the 12th.

Miss Alice Latham of Groton has come to Sterling to teach this term.

Scott De Wolf has moved into his new eight-room cottage at Sandy Desert farm.

The planet Mercury is an evening star this month, but is too near the sun for observation.

County Commissioner Charles H. Smith of Noank, has been spending a few days in Hartford.

In some of the churches tomorrow there will be brief intercessory services on prayers for peace.

Miss Olive E. Hunt, teacher of piano, has resumed lessons for the season of 1914-15 at 3 Huntington place—adv.

The Sunday evening service at the Second Congregational church will be resumed September 20th.

In the dairy competition at the Hartford Fair, in market milk supply, B. C. Hallcock of Merrow won second place and a prize of \$20.

The annual conference of the Catholic pastors of this diocese is to be held at St. Joseph's cathedral, Hartford, Thursday, Sept. 24th.

Grass and shrubbery are so dry just now visitors to the woods and fields need to be extra cautious, because of the danger of starting forest fires.

Local musicians who always plan to attend the Worcester Music Festival are receiving the fifty-seventh annual concert for the week after next.

A Mystic young lady, Miss Jane Collins, a graduate of Williams Memorial Institute, is teaching in the 11th District school at Ledyard this year.

A check for twenty-five dollars has been received by the Central Fire Co. of Central New York from a town friend who is interested in the village.

The fact that the New York city schools open Monday next, the 14th, will mean many city families will go home from their country and shore places today.

Norwich Mt. Holyoke alumnae are interested in the article entitled "Womanhood," by Frances J. Cullen, published in a current number of a Boston paper.

We want all ladies to use the Frantz Premier suction cleaner. Telephone 663-5 for demonstration free—adv.

St. Thomas' seminary, Hartford, opened Wednesday with 130 students enrolled. This is the thirtieth institution where Henry Coleman of Norwich is one of the prefects.

In a number of schools Friday, the Star Spangled Banner was sung and in several there were remarks on the centenary of the writing of the national hymn.

Arrangements are being made in Waterbury for the state convention of the Kiwanis Club, to be held Oct. 8-9. Mr. William C. Dawley, of Norwich is president of the state society.

On the Connecticut River the rail-rail season opens today (Saturday), September 12, and there is usually a large number of the birds which are in exceptionally fine condition this season.

Retail druggists are feeling the effects of the war, and a product of Norway, has advanced in price and quinine costs more, as no Java bark has reached this county in six weeks.

A local woman, who is obliged to spend much time in the open air, states that there has not been a summer for years when there was so little comfortable "plaza weather" as this season.

At Vernon Center, Miss Ruth Rogers of New London is the new teacher of the highest grade in the County Home School. Mr. William C. Dawley, of Windham, the new teacher in the primary grade.

At the seventh annual Thompson family reunion, to be held Sept. 19, at Ellington, Mrs. Mary A. Elliott, of Wallingford, who has Norwich relatives, will report on the progress in genealogical research.

It was so cool at the Central Baptist church on Wednesday during the session that it was necessary to start up the steam heater, one of the earliest times on record.

The annual convention of the Master Houseboat Association of the United States, will be held in New York City next week, and the members of Eastern Connecticut associations are planning to go to the convention.

A teacher who has a number of relatives in Norwich, Miss Josephine Armstrong assistant at the Plainfield high school, had a successful surgical operation performed the latter part of the week by a Plainfield physician from Pawtucket.

A meeting of Groton Grange was held Friday evening when arrangements were perfected for the exhibition to be held by the grange members September 25. The organization is to hold a fair this year, an exhibition taking its place.

The postoffice department has given notice that owing to the war in Europe and the consequent disorganization of transportation the delivery of money orders addressed to persons in Europe cannot be assured and such must be sent at the sender's risk.

A Westbrook truck was called to the assistance of Miss Larson, truck driver, who became stalled on the highway with a load of goods a few evenings ago and the load was pushed to its destination at New Haven. The truck was sent to Bristol, and Norwich before returned.

Cattle Moved by Autotrucks.
Donald Grant Mitchell of Salem and his farm foreman, William H. Maynard, are loading about 45 head of the fine Aberdeen-Angus cattle on autotrucks at Woodbridge and getting them ready for a 30-mile trip to Norfolk, the home of their new owners. The Woodbridge cattle are never taken to the market, but the Mitchell place is known among stockmen because it has the only Aberdeen-Angus stock in the state.

Entertained For Webster Guest.
Miss Marian C. Bartlett gave a party Friday evening at her home No. 28 West Main street, for her guest Miss Genevieve Holley of Webster, Mass. Many excellent vocal and instrumental solos were rendered during the evening.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Larose of Mooseup attended the fair at Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Briggs and son Walter of Mooseup attended the Norwich fair.

Mrs. Greenwood of Boston, formerly of Norwich, is visiting friends in town for a few days.

Miss Dolcie Counihan is spending a week in Columbia with her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Wyman.

Mrs. D. F. Sullivan and daughter have returned to Norwich, after a visit with relatives in Mooseup.

Mrs. Alfred M. Tracy and daughter of Norwich visited recently with Mrs. N. B. Hill and sons in Central Village.

Having closed their cottage at Clinton Dr. F. C. Jackson and family have returned to their home on Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Adelbert Gallup and two children from Preston City are visiting Mrs. Gallup's mother, Mrs. Emma Love of Sterling Hill.

The Misses May, Loretta and Genevieve Bellefleur have returned after a visit with relatives in Marlboro and Keene, N. H.

Mrs. C. A. Wyman has returned to her home in Columbia after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl John, on the East Side.

Master Avery Stanton of Norwich has returned, after spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Grist, in Skunk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whittemore and Miss Lillian Giles as her guests, who have been visiting Mr. Whittemore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Neff of East Norwich also her sister, Mrs. D. Brown of Quaker Hill, have returned to Putnam.

MAHAN WITH WILSON
ON LITERACY TEST.

Answers Criticism of Trainmen Who Condemned His Stand.

Congressman Mahan, when he was told in New London by a railroad employe that the Hartford lodge of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen had passed resolutions at a recent meeting condemning his stand on the literacy test against immigration bill, and opposing his candidacy for senator on that account, said he took the same ground as President Wilson in opposing the literacy test. He said:

"I am sorry that the members of this organization do not regard the literacy test and the necessity for its elimination in the same light in which many members of congress, including myself, do. I can only repeat that I share the views of President Wilson on this most important subject. Perhaps it is sufficient to suggest that there has been a literacy test established since a quarter of a century ago, the fathers of many of those now protesting against it would never have been able to enter this country. I believe that the record of good citizenship that has been attained in years past by those who when they first came to the United States could neither read nor write, answers sufficiently to any argument in favor of a literacy test as an essential to immigration."

OBITUARY.
Mrs. Charles H. Lewis.

On Thursday morning Margaret Sherman, widow of Charles H. Lewis, passed away at her home, 153 Sherman street at the age of 73 years.

For the past five years Mrs. Lewis had been in poor health, and was confined to her bed. She was a native of Brooklyn, N. Y.

She was the daughter of Nathaniel and Phoebe Adams Sherman and had passed the greater part of her life in this city. Some years ago she was united in marriage to Charles H. Lewis, a jeweler, and he died about 30 years ago. Mrs. Lewis was a devoted and faithful wife and was one of the oldest residents of the Falls. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Frances Bushnell of Taunton, Mass., besides nieces and nephews.

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At Opening of Year—Sixth Grade Formed at Laurel Hill Because of Crowded Conditions in Broadway—In Meeting With Principals, Superintendent Graham States Position on Home Work and Keeping After School.

The 20 schools under town management, which opened their sessions for the year on Wednesday, have a total registration at the start of 3,155 pupils, according to figures compiled by Superintendent Edwin Graham. Last year on September 30th, there were 3,221 pupils in the schools, but the smaller schools have been placed on an account by the elimination of the fifth grade which has been accomplished in the last two years, and which had 133 pupils two years ago. Those pupils who under former conditions would have been in the fifth grade, have now been graduated and have gone forward to the Academy so that there is one grade less to count at present. This change in promotion conditions will bring about the graduation of a great many more pupils from the eighth grade than in former years, and because of this increase in registration an extra teacher has been placed in the grammar department. She is Miss Catherine Coughlin, who formerly taught the sixth grade.

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CONSERVATOR APPOINTED
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But Petition for Miss Mary N. Lyon, His Niece, Dismissed.

At a hearing in the probate court on Friday morning before Judge Nelson J. Ayling, there came up the matter of the appointment of a conservator for Sherman Loomis of Franklin and for his niece, Miss Mary N. Lyon, who has been housekeeper for Mr. Loomis, who is her uncle. The petitioner was Charles Loomis of Hartford, who is a brother of Sherman Loomis.

Sherman Loomis is reported to be worth \$45,000 and Miss Lyon has about \$25,000 in the bank. The petitioner was represented by Attorney William H. Shields, while Attorney Amos A. Browning represented Miss Lyon.

There was no opposition to the appointment of a conservator for Mr. Loomis, who is 81 years old and is in impaired health. Charles Loomis, the petitioner, did not appear, and has not visited his brother in five years past. His petition, it is understood, was based on letters and on stories which he had heard of him, and was quite different from the actual facts.

Judge Ayling decided to make Henry Bellows conservator of Mr. Loomis and later he decided to make Miss Lyon conservator of her niece. A new man will be engaged to look after the farm. The application for a conservator for Miss Lyon was dismissed by the court and the woman will continue to live with her uncle.

There was no feeling in the matter as Miss Lyon took the conservator and witnesses out to dinner. Miss Lyon was the only witness examined on her own case and she testified to her oversight of the farm and the care of Mr. Loomis. She made a good witness for herself and showed that she is capable of looking after her own affairs. One of her bank accounts showed that it had tripled in the last 21 years from accumulated interest as nothing had been drawn from it.

Married in Danvers.
Says a Dedham, Mass., despatch: Minnie D. Plag of Franklin, Mass., was granted a divorce from Herbert H. Plag for cruel and abusive treatment and was given the name of S. Hamilton. The couple were married in Danvers, Conn., on Oct. 27, 1904. They lived in Franklin, Mass.